

BENNINGTON EVENING BANNER

TWELFTH YEAR NO. 3487

BENNINGTON, VT., TUESDAY, MAY 25, 1915

PRICE ONE CENT

Opportunity Knocked at a Man's Door One Day—But He Was So Busy Knocking the Town at the Time That He Couldn't Hear the Knock

LOW PRICED ADVERTISING

FOR SALE
FOR SALE—\$30 box will be sold at \$10.00, holds over 100 lbs. of ice at one time. Tel. 176-15.

FOR SALE—Sideboard in excellent condition, also a showcase. Call 512 Gage St. 5016 Y.

FOR SALE—Ten tons of hay, \$15 a ton. Inquire of Mrs. M. Moore, Casey Farm, Bennington Falls, Vt. 5016 Y.

FOR SALE—Building lots on Washington Ave. One large lot just north of St. John's. The finest lot in the village. Several lots on Park street and other locations. Good home on Putnam St. also the two houses formerly owned by E. B. Robertson on Dey and Grant streets. Several other houses and farms. Gen. Ins. Agt. N. Y. Life, R. N. Williams, Tel. 123 W.

FOR SALE—Farm of 100 acres, about 100 acres tillable, balance pasture and wood land. New 8 room house, large barn with basement and also, running water near house and in barn, also in pasture. This farm is well located on good road two miles from Bennington, keeps 12 cows and team. Nice place for poultry, small fruit and vegetables. Price \$2000. Nash & Hutchins.

FOR SALE—Weymouth strain of White Leghorn eggs for setting, 15 for 75c. Mated to unrelated males. P. W. Edited, Tel. 171-15.

FOR SALE—Or Exchange, Five passenger Overland car, this car came new from factory in August 1913 and has been run less than 4,000 miles and is as good as new. Will sell cheap or exchange for other property. See Nash & Hutchins.

FOR SALE—The Worthington homestead in North Bennington, Vt., consisting of 2 story house, porch across entire front and part of each side, hot air furnace, Kewanee water system, bath room and acetylene gas plant. Large, roomy barn, suitable for storage of hay, grain, etc. Also a large lot of land with all modern improvements. Will be sold reasonable price. Also one 2 story cottage, top story in excellent condition, one top story in excellent condition in first class condition. Inquire of R. A. Jones, First National Bank, or of Mrs. W. H. Jones, Worthington, on premises, North Bennington, Vt. 5017 Y.

FOR SALE—Several driving horses; a single and double harness, new and used, and a second hand light harness. Inquire H. M. Tuttle Co., Bennington, Vt. 5017 Y.

FOR SALE—The large brick dwelling on Pleasant St. in the village of Bennington, formerly occupied by the late C. C. Carter. This house has spacious grounds and contains fourteen large rooms, including bath, two large wood sheds and four room cellar. It is equipped with all modern improvements. This place, which is one of the most desirable in Bennington, will be sold at a very reasonable price. Apply to H. H. Webster, R. E. Healy or Edward J. Hall, Bennington. 4817

FOR SALE—Eggs for setting, Pileated strain White Wyandottes. Eggs from best pen \$1.00 per 15; 90 for \$2.00. Utility stock, splendid layers, 75c per 15; 10 for \$2.25; 100 for \$1.00. 80 percent fertility guaranteed. Inquire of J. H. Smith, North Bennington, Vt. Phone 183 J. 6015 S.

FOR SALE—Twenty tons of baled hay at \$3 a ton. W. K. White, North Bennington. 1417

TO RENT
TO RENT—Furnished house with room in same floor. Call at 271 Union St. Bennington, Vt. 5017 Y.

TO RENT—First class tenement, latest improvements, light, includes bath. Also store 28 school street, suitable for grocery and retail business. Apply Louis LaMarre, 231 School St. 7506 S.

TO RENT—House on Gage street. Down stairs furnished. All modern improvements. Albert W. Varney. 8249 S.

TO RENT—Part of small store on Main St. centrally located. Inquire 441 Main St. 8117

TO RENT—An 8 room house on Park street, newly repaired inside and out. Small family preferred. Apply Miss Backman, 29 Union St. 8017

FOR SALE—Tomato plants, 35c per dozen or \$2 per hundred. Peppers and a few other plants. Delivered in Bennington. H. M. Dunham, Telephone 221-11. 7125 S.

TO RENT—Three pleasant rooms for light housekeeping, also sleeping rooms with all modern improvements. Call noon or evenings at Mrs. M. Serlin's, over Berkshire Hotel station. 7117

TO RENT—New 8 room tenement, corner School and County; hard-wood floors, hard-wood finish up-stairs and down, gas, electric lights and bath. Apply phone 1155 or 7512. 8015 S.

TO RENT—Fully equipped machine shop connected with the Bennington Garage, suite of offices over Woolworth store, 439 Main St. several desirable tenements centrally located. Geo. M. Hawley, 435 Main St. 317

LOST AND FOUND
LOST—On Main street, Saturday evening, about 5 o'clock, a purse containing a sum of money. Finder will please return to Miss Daisy Albion, 124 Dewey street. 7815 S.

LOST—Either on street or at the opera house at the time of the community festival, a uncolored Mexican drawn work. Reward if returned to Banner office. 5817

MISCELLANEOUS
NOTICE—Lawn mowed and trimmed. Fruit and ornamental trees examined and cared for by experienced man under my supervision. Leave orders at greenhouse or phone L. C. Holton, the school Street Greenhouses. 8215

CLAIRVOYANT—At 293 Pleasant street, afternoons and evenings. Would like house work to do by the hour mornings. 5817

NOTICE—Truburn Mattison has purchased the Judge Woodard farm adjoining the Filmore & Shaw pasture known as the Harmon Hill. Mr. Mattison will reside on this farm and will run Filmore & Shaw's pasture this year. Turn your cattle out with Mr. Mattison on the best pasture in Southern Vermont. 6317

C. D. Sweet's Market
Tel. 425
Culliton's Bl'ck., 105 Gage St.
Full Line of Meats

A Hard Cold
due to a sudden change in the weather, exposure, or any cause, if neglected, may lead to serious lung troubles. Keep Down's Elixir in the medicine cupboard, and take before the cold develops into pneumonia, or consumption becomes seated. Sold everywhere.

ITALIAN MENACE FAILS TO PHAZE TEUTONIC DUO

New Picture of the War Does Not Bother Berlin

AUSTRIANS SHOW RESENTMENT

Indications in Vienna That War with Former Ally Will Meet with Popular Favor.

Berlin, via London, May 24.—No arrangements have yet been made for the departure of the Italian ambassador from Germany.

Owing to the Whitsuntide holidays no newspapers were published today, and, therefore, there has been no press comment on Italy's declaration of war. The public received the news with remarkable calmness and seemed more bent on enjoying holiday outings in the brilliant summer weather than worrying about the latest accession to the ranks of Austria-Hungary's enemies.

Street demonstrations took place late last night when the news of Italy's declaration of war against the dual monarchy became known, and small crowds paraded the streets at an early hour this morning singing patriotic songs and cheering for Austria-Hungary. The parades attempted to make a demonstration before the Italian embassy, but since the incident of Thursday night, when a youth knocked off the ambassador's hat when he was leaving the embassy, the police have taken precautions to forestall upward incidents, and all the approaches to the embassy were closed.

What comment is heard on the situation is not flattering to Italy. Her action in declaring war against her former ally is generally regarded by the populace as "political brigandage." The average German declines to take the Italian military menace seriously and seems to consider that Italy's onslaught will merely put off the ultimate victory of the Teutonic allies without rendering victory doubtful.

In discussion of the official Italian explanation of the declaration of war the comment is everywhere heard that it took Italy a long time to find out that the Treaty of Alliance had been violated, it being argued that Italy's note on the subject was dated in December and that it required months longer to determine

that the violation of the treaty constituted a weapon for war.

Dispatches received here from Vienna report that big street demonstrations in favor of war with Italy have taken place. The observations of a correspondent of the Associated Press who spent the greater part of the last two months traveling in Austria-Hungary were that a war against Italy would be highly popular.

The feeling against the Russians in comparison seemingly was not particularly bitter. The victory of the Austro-Germans in Galicia was received with satisfaction, mixed with little personal hatred by the Austro-Hungarians, but it was evident from the actions of the people that a successful campaign against Italy would arouse unbounded exultation. The indications were that the average Austro-Hungarian would be almost willing to forego a victory over Russia for the pleasure of punishing their country's former ally for breaking with her.

WILLIAM F. SLATTERY.

Civil War Veteran of Illinois Regiment Died Today.

William F. Slattery, aged about 70 years, died this morning at the Soldiers home hospital where he was taken for treatment about a week ago. Mr. Slattery was born in Ireland and came to this country with his parents when three years old. With his parents he first located in the west. During the past fifty years he had resided in North Bennington, White Creek and in this village. For some time he was employed on farm work in White Creek. He was a man of few words, honest and upright in his dealings and of kindly heart.

He was a member of Co. F, 153rd Illinois regiment and was discharged as corporal.

Surviving are one son, Thomas F. Slattery of this village one daughter, Mrs. Louis Wobrock of Lansingburgh and four grandchildren.

The funeral will be held from St. Francis de Sales church Thursday morning at 9 o'clock. The burial will be in Park Lawn cemetery.

BIG LEAGUE BASEBALL

American League				
St. Louis 4	Boston 2			
Detroit 4	Washington 6			
Chicago 5	New York 4			
Philadelphia 5	Cleveland 4			
Won Lost P. C.				
Chicago	23	12	.657	
Philadelphia	22	12	.647	
New York	17	13	.567	
Boston	13	14	.481	
Washington	13	16	.448	
Cleveland	13	18	.418	
St. Louis	14	20	.412	
Philadelphia	11	12	.344	

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Chicago 9	Boston 1.			
Other games, rain.				
Won Lost P. C.				
Chicago	20	12	.625	
Philadelphia	17	11	.607	
Pittsburgh	15	15	.500	
Brooklyn	14	15	.483	
St. Louis	15	17	.469	
Boston	14	16	.467	
Cincinnati	12	16	.429	
New York	11	16	.407	

Federal League

St. Louis 2	Baltimore 1.			
Kansas City 2	Newark 1.			
Chicago 4	Buffalo 3. (11 innings.)			
Brooklyn-Pittsburgh, rain.				
Won Lost P. C.				
Pittsburgh	20	12	.625	
Chicago	21	14	.600	
Kansas City	18	14	.562	
Newark	19	15	.559	
Brooklyn	15	15	.500	
St. Louis	15	16	.484	
Baltimore	13	21	.382	
Buffalo	10	24	.294	

NORTH BENNINGTON

Mrs. Arthur Gilbert of New York City has opened her summer residence on West street, and is here for the summer months.

Mrs. H. I. Spafford returned last week from Schenectady where she has been passing the winter with her daughter, Mrs. E. B. Canfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Wills W. White and daughter, Clara, passed the week-end with Mrs. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Percy of Bennington.

WANTED—Two sturdy young men to work on saw mill. Steady work for 2 months. Apply George S. Clark, 814 Main St. 5716

WANTED—A competent woman for general housework. No washing or ironing. Tel. 178-6. 8016

WANTED—Chauffeur wise, steady, reliable. Address H. A. S. Banner office. 8017

WANTED—An energetic ambitious, active man to establish permanent business. Health and Accident Insurance. Immediate cash returns and future. Address National Casualty Company, Detroit, Mich. 8104

WANTED—Work. Apply Louis Cleveland, Tel. 238-M. 8106

WANTED—100 yearling white Wyandotte hens. Address The Orchard 7917

TEACHERS WANTED—Register now for fall positions. Hathaway Teachers' bureau, Bennington, 693 Gage street. 7917

WANTED—Sober, steady, industrious chair makers—back-knife lath hand and general machine hands. Steady work day or job work. Fulton-Fulton Co., Shandaken, Ulster City, N. Y. 7918

WANTED—Pupil nurses at the Taunton State Hospital Training School for Nurses. For particulars, address Dr. Arthur V. Green, Supt., Taunton State Hospital, Taunton, Mass. 7919

ITALIANS VICTORS IN FIRST CLASH OF THE WAR

Advance Guard Drives in Austrian Border Outpost

RAID BY DESTROYER FLEET

German Troops Already Reported on the Way to Check Italian Advance.

Rome, May 25.—Italy has scored the first successes of the war with Austria both on land and sea. A large force of troops attacked the outposts on the border in Isonzo and drove back the Austrians.

The Italian destroyer fleet in the Adriatic made an attack on Porto Buso at the head of the Adriatic, destroyed a motor boat flotilla and badly damaged the key. The Italian losses were two killed.

Geneva, May 24.—According to advices from Bellinzona, the first act of open hostility in the war took place about 2 o'clock this morning, when Austrian artillery shelled Italian outposts on the Adige in front of Rivoli. The firing lasted for a few minutes. The Italians did not reply.

The Austrians also blew up two small bridges across the Adige in Italian territory.

Rivoli is a village of 800 to 1,000 inhabitants thirteen miles northwest of Verona. Here on Jan. 14-15, 1797, the Austrian General Alvinczy was defeated by Andre Massena, commanding the right wing of the army with which Napoleon was invading Italy.

The victory was the crowning event of Massena's military career, and won for him the title of Duke of Rivoli and the sobriquet of "enfant chéri de la victoire" (Loved Child of Victory) from Napoleon.

Geneva, May 24.—The Italian troops on the frontier, it is understood, will begin their forward movement tonight. A number of armored trains and aeroplanes arrived today at Trent from Innsbruck.

The Austrians seem to fear an attack from the Val Tellina region and are, therefore, making all preparations for that eventuality.

Skirmishes occurred today on the banks of the Isonzo River, which flows into the Gulf of Trieste.

London, May 24.—Little time has been allowed to elapse between the declaration of war and actual fighting between Italy and Austria.

In the Tyrol and on the eastern frontier Italian and Austrian advance guards are already in touch and have fired the first shots.

The Austro-German plan of campaign has not yet been disclosed, but it is generally believed here that attempts to inflict a quick and decisive defeat, or at least one, that will discourage the Italians, will be undertaken, largely by the Germans, under Field Marshal von Hindenburg.

It is said that German troops, with heavy guns, aeroplanes and Zeppelins, are already passing through the valley of the River Adige in the direction of Verona, and that rapid and fierce blows will be delivered almost immediately at the Italian center.

This, the Germans are thought to believe, would serve to hold off an Italian advance from the Province of Venice, where the flat nature of the country gives the Italians a greater chance of success.

GOVERNMENT SHIPS
President Says We Must Have More Means of Communication.

Washington, May 24.—At the opening today of the Pan-American Financial Conference, which will sit for the remainder of the week, keynotes were sounded by President Wilson in his speech of welcome and by Frank A. Vanderlip, President of the National City Bank of New York, in an informal statement later in the day. The President stressed the need of greater carrying facilities, and there was no mistaking his reference to the Ship Purchase bill when, amid general applause, he said that "if private capital cannot soon enter upon the adventure of establishing these physical means of communication, the Government must undertake to do so."

Softened It a Bit.
Mamma—You shouldn't say you hate your teacher, dear. Little May—Well, I sure do dislike her.—Chicago News.

JOHN E. HARRIS DEAD

Veteran Newspaper Man Drops Dead in Burlington

Burlington, May 24.—John E. Harris, aged 56, the well known newspaper man and editor of The Advance, died suddenly of heart disease this morning while he was waiting for an electric car.

John Edward Harris was born in Cabot, July 27, 1858, the son of Erasmus B. and Caroline (Brown) Harris. He received a common school and academy education and then read law, being admitted to the practice of that profession in 1879. For two years he had practiced at Danville and then entered the newspaper field, purchasing the St. Johnsbury Index, now the Republican. After leaving that paper, he continued in the newspaper field practically all his life, being the founder of the Hardwick Gazette and the Morrisville Messenger, having been legislative reporter at Montpelier several sessions and correspondent for various papers at Washington, D. C., where he was stationed for some years in an official capacity with the United States senate. He was also employed on the staff of the Worcester, Mass., Evening Post. During the last session of the Vermont legislature, Mr. Harris represented The Advance of which he was editor. In 1910, he traveled in Europe as a special inspector of immigration under authority of the American immigration commission. Mr. Harris was a member of the Odd Fellows lodge and several clubs and societies.

He was married three times, first to Carrie Brown of Burlington, and their surviving child is Mrs. Frances Pache, Danville. His second wife was Addie Soule of Portland, Me., and his third wife was Eva Cobb of Atlanta, Ga., the daughter of a colonel in the Confederate army in the civil war. One child was born to the last union, John Carroll Harris, in 1910.

Mr. Harris was well known as a newspaper writer and held a high position among newspaper men because of his forceful style and wide command of words. He had a great many friends, both in his native state and in Washington.

NORTH BENNINGTON

Miss Ruth Eldred passed Saturday in Troy and Albany.

A. S. Payne is in New York city on business for a few days.

George Elwell is having his houses painted. Charles Colvin is doing the work.

Mr. Landfeer of Watervliet passed the week end with his daughter, Miss Bessie Landfeer.

Miss Belle Babson who has been at North Pownal for the past week returned home Sunday.

Miss Anna Burke who has been visiting at her home here for several days has returned to Troy.

Tucker lodge will confer 1st degree Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock after which ice cream and cake will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Phillips who have been visiting in town for several days have returned to their home in Troy.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Russell of Center Shaftsbury were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Luman S. Russell of West street.

The following were purchasers of 1915 Maxwell touring cars of W. M. Marshall last week: Mrs. Harry Love, Hiland Dwyer and Truman Amidon.

The missionary society of the Methodist church will be held Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Fred Walden. The leader is Mrs. E. H. White.

A house on the Sodem road, the property of George Moon was burned to the ground early Saturday morning. The local fire company were out to give assistance but the house was entirely burned before the company reached the scene. They put out several small fires, however, that started on other property nearby.

Mr. and Mrs. Moon were away to spend Sunday. There was no insurance to cover the loss.

WEATHER FORECAST

For eastern New York and western Vermont, fair tonight, warmer interior. Wednesday increase in cloudiness and warmer.

For Coughs that "Hang On."
Lingering colds, bronchial coughs, la grippe colds and similar ailments that "hang on" until May are likely to last all summer if not cured. Foley's Honey and Tar Compound will allay inflammation, clear stopped passages, relieve distressing discharges at the source, banish stuffy, wheezy breathing and heal and soothe raw nasal and bronchial passages. It is prompt in action; safe and sure. Contains no opiates. Harold W. Cole.

RUSSIANS RESUME OFFENSIVE ON 400 MILE BATTLE LINE

Forward Movement of Germans Checked at River San

FIGHTING SOUTH OF PRZEMYSL

Large Forces Engaged for Four Days Without Marked Advantage to Either Side.

Petrograd, May 25.—Along the 400-mile battle line stretching from south east Poland to southeast Galicia the Russians have resumed the offensive and are driving fiercely at the German-Austrian positions, according to the official announcement made today.

Petrograd, (via London) May 24.—In the view of Russian military observers, the German offensive movement has been definitely checked on the upper San River. The Russian movement upon Nisko and the occupation of Ulanoff, Rudnik, Kraftza, Bourghy, and Shushay, to the westward of the upper San, seriously threaten not only the German position east of the river, but the communications to the rear as well. Co-operating with this army, another strong Russian force to the eastward of Przemyel is pressing against the right wing of this German advanced position.

Southward of Przemyel, on the other hand, the Germans are furiously battering the Russian front, and a very hotly contested action is being fought along a line of twenty miles between the Tisminitza and the Stry Rivers. Other points of activity are to the east of the Drogoitch-Stry railroad and between Goussakow and Krukienka, forty miles to the north-west.

These regions report that continuous fighting has been in progress for the last four days, but without marked advantage to either side.

NEVILLS-COOK.

Popular Young People Married Today at Congregational Parsonage.

Miss Anna Lawrie Cook, daughter of Mrs. Catherine Cook of Park street, and Edward Norton Nevills, were married at 1 o'clock this afternoon at the parsonage of the Second Congregational church, the pastor, Rev. G. S. Mills, officiating. The ceremony was followed by a reception at the bride's home.

The couple were attended by Miss Irene Cook, a sister of the bride and William J. Lennon. The couple are well known in the community and have a host of friends who wish them every happiness.

VERMONT'S PRETTIEST GIRL
Miss J. Frances Hamilton of Richmond Going to California

Richmond, May 24.—Miss J. Frances Hamilton of this place has been notified she has been selected as the Vermont girl to be sent to the California exposition by the Boston Herald and Traveler in their "prettiest girl" contest. She will leave next Sunday evening and will have her expenses all paid. The Vermont judges were Governor C. W. Gates of Franklin, Mrs. G. H. Smith and Rev. Homer A. Flint of Montpelier. The Boston newspapers offered the free trips to five New England girls who should be declared the prettiest in their states.

Your Hair Needs

Parisian Sage

If your hair is full of dandruff, thin, streaky, dull and never will do up to look pretty, you can almost immediately remove the cause making it beautiful, thick and fluffy by the use of Parisian Sage, one of the most helpful and invigorating hair and scalp tonics known.

Parisian Sage not only saves your hair but furnishes the nourishment needed to make it grow long, abundant and radiant with life. Just one application removes every trace of dandruff and stops scalp itch—your hair becomes soft and fluffy with an incomparable gloss, beauty and charm.

You cannot be disappointed with this harmless and delicately perfumed tonic, and it costs but a trifle at W. L. Gokay's.

How to DRY CLEAN MEN'S SUITS

To get all the wear that's coming to you out of your suit you have had to send it to some dry cleaning establishment every now and then. Spots and stains must be taken out, dust and dirt that ruin the garment, soiled collars cleaned, the garment freshened up and made presentable again.

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At an extremely small cost, with little trouble you can renew your suit or overcoat effectively. The process will not wrinkle or shrink the fabric, change the color or affect the cut or shape in any degree.

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